Claims

Rolling bearing in aircraft

- 1. A single-row or multi-row rolling bearing (1, 2) having thin-walled raceways (3, 4, 5), characterized in that the raceways (3, 4, 5) consist of a martensitic, fully hardened steel and have the following features:
- a surface hardness (7, 7a) of \geq 613 HV (56 HRC) in the region of the running surfaces,
- a core hardness (8) of \geq 285 HV (28 HRC),
- a difference (Δ) between surface hardness and core hardness of \geq 150 HV (9 HRC),
- the core hardness being reached at a depth of between 8% of the rolling body diameter and 90% of the wall thickness in the race base beneath the race,
- a ratio of the pitch circle diameter T_k to the rolling body diameter D_w of $\geq\,20\,.$
- 2. The rolling bearing as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the hardness at a depth of 4% of the rolling body diameter $D_{\rm w}$ is at most 70 HV (4 HRC) lower than at the surface.
- 3. The rolling bearing as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the raceways (3, 4, 5) consist of a corrosion-resistant steel.

- 4. The rolling bearing as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the raceways (3, 4, 5) are provided with securing flanges and/or reinforcing elements.
- 5. The rolling bearing as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the rolling bodies (6) consist of fully hardened, martensitic rolling bearing steel or of surface-hardened steel or of corrosion-resistant steel or of ceramic.
- 6. The rolling bearing as claimed in claim 5, characterized in that the rolling bodies are balls.
- 7. The rolling bearing as claimed in claim 5, characterized in that the rolling bodies are rollers.